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Casino: a closer look

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

Artist's 'concept drawing' -- a tentative look at the proposed 'Capitol Resort Hotel Casino' planned for West Sacramento's northwest

Building a tribal casino at West Sacramento's Riverpoint Center won't have much of a "downside" for the city, said Roy Palmer, one of the project's proponents. Palmer last week joined landowner Frank Ramos and Ramos's son and representative Dan Ramos in a meeting with the News-Ledger to talk about the project.

Palmer is a veteran of Indian gaming in the Midwest. He is a former Chicago attorney, and a formerly-retired resident of Florida.

"In the year 2000, we became aware that this tribe had been looking for a casino site," said Palmer.

So he and his partners on the West Sacramento project, Bob Roskamp and Phil Kaltenbacher, said "let's do it."

Palmer's group and the Upper Lake Pomo tribe of California Indians have optioned 67 acres of land at the Reed Ave./Harbor Blvd. site owned by Frank Ramos and Marvin "Buzz" Oates alongside I-80 in West Sacramento's northwest. On it, they hope to build the "Capitol Resort Hotel Casino," a major gaming center plus a 12-story, 400-room hotel.

Palmer said a reported project cost of $100 million is a good guess.

To go forward, the project needs city approval – and that seems to be something the West Sacramento City Council will leave up to local voters, perhaps in the form of an "advisory vote" on the November, 2002, local ballot. Voters will say whether they want to create a casino complex on land taken from their city – since the land would have to become sovereign tribal land in order for the project to go forward. The Upper Lake Pomo tribe, from the Clear Lake area, has no ancestral land in the West Sacramento area.

Because the casino property would come off the city's tax rolls, the tribe would separately have to negotiate with West Sacramento on how to pay for the city's fire, police, sewer and other services.

One published report put that annual payment to the city "in lieu of taxes" at around $10 million per year, but Palmer backed away from that number. He did say that payments to the city would constitute "a significant amount of money" that remains to be negotiated.

"The tribe has said that in addition to its payment in lieu of taxes, which will be serious money, they will invest ten percent of their profits in free enterprise projects helpful to the town, such as providing better affordable housing, more senior housing, and things like that."

Palmer added that the Capitol Resort Hotel Casino would employ about 2,000 people, with several hundred of those working at the hotel.

"I don't think there would be many minimum wage jobs," he added. "We are a union-friendly employer, although I'm sure you realize it's the employees who choose a union, and not the employer. We believe unions serve a purpose, and a well-run union is an advantage to a business."

Palmer said as much hiring as possible would be done within West Sacramento.

"Unemployment here will a thing of the past," said Palmer. "We will have a job for people who need one. We will open an employment center in West Sacramento, although we realize we will have to fill some of the positions by advertising outside West Sacramento."

Palmer added that safety and security will be top-priority at the casino, with surveillance cameras and a trained security force ("we're hopeful that a large part of our security force will be off-duty policemen").

"Everybody must be not only happy, but safe and secure. There is no question of people who don't belong here being here."

The project's location near I-80, Reed Ave. and Harbor Blvd. will help keep West Sacramento neighborhoods from being impacted by the center's traffic, he explained.

"I take it for granted that this is a wonderful business location," said Palmer. "You're visible from I-80 and you have ingress and egress. What I think makes this dramatically different for a commercial project is you're bordered by a highway, railroad tracks and two major boulevards, so you have no impact on nearby residents. And yet it will probably provide a greater economic impact on the city than any other use in town. Almost every other use will put big demands on the city," he added – but not the casino project.

Early conceptual drawings for the project show a "European" style fountain and plaza in front of the casino and hotel. The casino itself sports a dome meant to invoke the old "Capitol Inn" motel on West Capitol Ave. – now gone, but which itself echoed the state capitol building in design.

The 400-room hotel could be managed by the casino, or could invite outside management. It was designed 12-stories tall partly to give it "landmark" status from I-80, said Palmer.

"It's very similar to something you might find in Reno or Tahoe," said landowners' representative Dan Ramos, "a casino with a hotel attached. If someone flew into Sacramento, they might have the opportunity to conduct their business there."

Palmer said that the hotel is a "negotiable" part of the plan.

"The hotel is not something that we as developers are overly anxious to do. If the city said 'we don't want a hotel,' then we'd honor that."

Palmer said he is aware that the project's location along I-80 puts it smack on the path of many Bay Area travelers headed to Reno or Lake Tahoe to gamble.

"We know people from the Bay Area go to Reno and Tahoe to gamble, and we could provide the same product closer," he said. "But we also know that people who go to casinos will also go to every single casino in their market area. And one way to explain how we're different is 'hospitality' – there will be continuous hospitality training for everyone while they're working at the casino."

Palmer said people who frequent such casinos treat them as entertainment.

"We've done countless focus groups, and people say, 'I don't really expect to win, but I expect to be treated like a winner.' "

Plans for the Capitol Resort Hotel Casino are continuing to shape up, as are negotiations between the project's developers and city officials. Local voters could get a chance to voice their opinions on the project in next year's general election, said Mayor Mark Montemayor.

A Case against the casino–

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

If plans for a West Sacramento tribal gaming casino continue to head for the November, 2002, ballot, the casino's opponents could become an unlikely bunch of bedfellows.

Earliest to go public with his opposition was new West Sacramento homeowner Marc Burgat, who recently bought a house with his family in the city's Southport area. Burgat began sending faxes to local businesses and leaders almost at the same time news of the planned casino broke. He warned West Sacramento not to trust the new casino's management, and warned that the casino's proposed "sovereign nation" status would give it a tax-free advantage over local businesses in the sales of food, gas, cigarettes, alcohol, clothes and other items.

But Burgat and his citizens' group, "West Sacramento Citizens Against Casinos," are not alone.

A group of local evangelical Christian pastors has also coalesced to oppose the planned gambling spot.

And an as-yet-unidentified group has begun telephone surveys of West Sacramento residents in their own effort to oppose the Capitol Resort Hotel Casino project. A surveyor and supervisor at the telephone marketing company declined to identify their client, after they called a News-Ledger representative at his home, but likely people behind the survey include Nevada gaming interests, rival Native American gambling interests, or groups of their employees. So opposition to the West Sacramento casino effort could – at least potentially – make working allies of Nevada gambling professionals, local homeowners, and religious leaders opposed to gambling on moral or social grounds.

Burgat said he is not affiliated with the telephone surveys.

"My group has not spent a dollar," he told the News-Ledger. "My group currently has about ten households. It started up as a neighborhood thing, and since the stories in the newspapers have been coming up, it has creeped up in numbers. Recently I got a call from a gentleman at a local church, and they've started a group called the West Sacramento Evangelical Association that is opposed to the casino. People have been reading my name, and calling '411' to get my phone number."

Burgat said that his group isn't opposing the casino so much because they believe gambling to be sinful, but because they believe a casino is bad for West Sacramento.

"I don't believe it's society's job to protect people from gambling," he said. "But when the community as a whole will end up paying for this, it has to step in and say, 'we don't want that in our community.' "

"In our group, we're pretty much all along the same lines," Burgat continued. "It's not so much that we're against Indian gaming – we just don't want Indian gaming in an urban center. As often as (proponents) say it's not planned for an urban area, I believe it is. I don't want a casino in my city, and I don't think Indian gaming should be in an urban area."

Burgat said his second concern "would be the management, and what I've heard of (casino) manager Roy Palmer."

Burgat has locally circulated copies of articles from other parts of the country in which some of Palmer's critics have accused him of using his role as an Indian gaming facilitator to profit too much at the expense of the tribes he contracts with.

Palmer last week bristled at Burgat's criticisms. He said an independent publication's follow-up to those complaints in Wisconsin exonerated him, and that all of the tribal elders from the tribe he worked with there would be speaking on his behalf as he pursues the West Sacramento proposal he's working on with the Upper Lake Pomo tribe from near Clear Lake.

Palmer aside, though, Burgat doesn't want a casino in West

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Celebrating a new school

School board members, WUSD superintendent Stu Greenfeld, West Sacramento mayor Mark Montemayor and other dignitaries turned over some earth Thursday afternoon at the site of the school district's planned new elementary school.

"Bridgeway Island Elementary School" will be located in the subdivision of the same name in West Sacramento's Southport area. The campus will join Southport Elementary – another relatively new school – in serving the city's growing Southport area.

ABOVE: Mayor Mark Montemayor, Chamber of Commerce president Len Strickland, WUSD school board president Dave Farmer, classified employees' union president Maria Kirlis, teachers' union president Patty Yamat, and school board member Pat Flint, all with shovels. They were among the dignitaries turning a ceremonial spadeful of earth Thursday at the site of the new Bridgeway Island Elementary School in Southport. Entertainment was provided by the River City High School jazz band.

Photo by Barry Blacklaw

National anthrax scare means 'white powder' calls for WSFD

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

West Sacramento fire department personnel are getting their share of calls from people worried that they have discovered anthrax spores. The concerns follow a nationwide anthrax scare caused by an unknown person(s) mailing envelopes of the infectious powdery material through the U.S. postal system.

"We've had about 11 'white powder' calls, the bulk of which have been postal-related," said Bill Summers, manager of the department's hazardous materials department, last week. "We had one call at one of the local elementary schools, one at the junior high school, another on an industrial business at Enterprise Blvd. I don't know that any of them were determined to be a credible threat. Most turned out to be soap, or sand in an envelope, or even mashed-up Ritz crackers."

Summers said that for incidents such as the discovery of an unknown powder recently at a mailbox on Jefferson Blvd., the department's "hazmat" teams

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Remembering the World War II vets on Veterans Day

Note: *My 80-year-old father recently experienced a medical emergency which saw him lose half his blood and almost his life. Along with millions of other Americans, he is a proud veteran of World War Two and with another Veterans Day weekend having just passed, I was reminded on a very personal level of the fact that our World War Two veterans are leaving this life at an alarming rate. With that in mind, reprinted below is a column I did a few years back about D-Day in 1944, honoring the remarkable service and sacrifice given this nation by our World War Two vets.*

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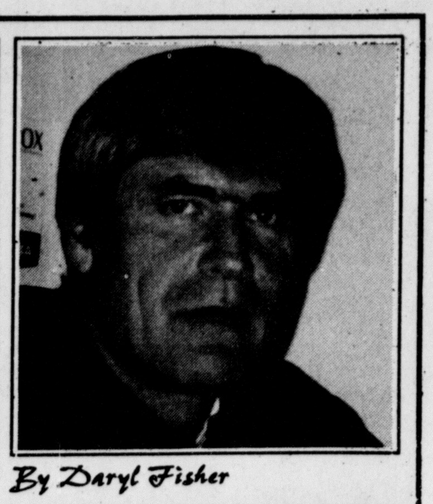

By Daryl Fisher

Code-named D-Day, it was history's largest military amphibious assault, and after five days of fierce fighting, the Allies tenuously held a thin strip of France only about 80 miles long. Within a month, though, more than a million Americans, British and Canadian soldiers were safely ashore and moving steadily inland towards Nazi Germany.

Accompanying the men who so bravely breached Hitler's famed Atlantic wall were an armada of warships and thousands of landing craft and support ships. Mountains of military equipment and supplies were also needed and they soon followed, as did the final collapse of the German Reich less than a year later.

According to an article written by Ian Phillips of the Associated Press, "German gunners poured 100,000 rounds a minute onto Omaha Beach over a two-hour period after the landings began on June 6." He also writes that "9,386 American servicemen are buried on the Normandy bluff; 14,000 others were exhumed and reburied back home at the wish of their families. Pristine white crosses and Stars of David stretch across a 172-acre memorial just above Omaha Beach, the deadliest of the D-Day beach-heads."

Fifty-five years later, the Normandy beaches code-named Utah, Gold, Juno, Sword and Omaha are still remembered with reverence, especially by aging Americans whose generation made the terrible sacrifices necessary to finally bring World War Two to an end.

Of the 60,000 Americans who landed on the Normandy beaches on D-Day, few were military professionals, and even fewer wanted to be there. They were farmers and barbers, railroad workers and auto mechanics, carpenters and teachers, and like all heroes, they weren't made in heaven, they were simply cornered some place on earth.

In "Hell on the Normandy Beaches", Ernie Pyle, the famous war correspondent, wrote: "By the time we got there the beaches had been taken and the fighting had moved a couple of miles inland. All that remained on the beach was some sniping and artillery fire, and the occasional startling blast of a mine geysering brown sand into the air. That plus a gigantic and pitiful litter of wreckage along miles of shore line.

"Submerged tanks and overturned boats and burned trucks and shell-shattered jeeps and sad little personal belongings were strewn all over those bitter sands. That plus the bodies of soldiers lying in rows covered with blankets, the toes of their shoes sticking up in a line as though on drill. And other bodies, uncollected, still sprawling grotesquely in the sand or half hidden by the high grass beyond the beach.

"We had our toe hold, but there was another and more human litter. It extended in a thin little line, just like a high-water mark, for miles along the beach. This was the strewn personal gear, gear that would never be needed again by those who fought and died to give us our entrance into Europe.

"There in a jumbled row for mile on mile were soldiers' packs. There were socks and shoe polish, sewing kits, diaries, and Bibles. There were the latest letters from home, with the address on each one neatly razored out -- one of the security precautions enforced before the boys embarked.

"There were toothbrushes and razors, and snapshots of families back home staring up at you from the sand. There were pocketbooks, metal mirrors, extra trousers, water-soaked packages of cigarettes, writing paper, air-mail envelopes, and bloody, abandoned shoes.

"The strong, swirling tides of the Normandy coast line shifted the contours of the sandy beach as they moved in and out. They carried soldiers' bodies out to sea, and later they returned them. They covered the corpses of heroes with sand, and then in their whims they uncovered them.

"It seemed to me a pure miracle that we ever took the beach at all. In the special sector where I landed our troops faced such odds that our getting ashore was like my whipping Joe Louis down to a pulp."

Those American soldiers who lived through the terrifying battles of World War Two, including the mighty struggles of D-Day, are now our fathers and grandfathers, and they are slowly passing from us. But they leave behind a free and strong America, and their service and sacrifice can never be forgotten, or appreciated enough.

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"Genealogy Online, 5th Edition" by Elizabeth Powell Crowe. (Library Use Only)

"You Are Being Lied To: The Disinformation Guide to Media Distortion, Historical Whitewashes and Cultural Myths" edited by Russ Kick.

Book displays for November: National American Indian Heritage Month, Thanksgiving, and holiday crafts, decorating, and cooking.

The A. F. Turner Library will be closed on November 22 & 23 for the Thanksgiving holiday. Call 375-6465 for information.

Obituaries

William Merwin

William "Bill" Henry Merwin passed away at the age of 76 on October 31, 2001 at home in Clarksburg. He is survived by his loving wife, Donna; three children: Susan Oates of Woodland, Allison Merwin Eyster of Roseville, and John Merwin of Clarksburg. He is also survived by seven grandchildren: Zach Oates, Drew Eyster, Todd Eyster, Lauren Eyster, Daniel Merwin, Sara Merwin, Emma Merwin; and a sister, Lois Hunn.

Bill was a lifelong resident of Clarksburg and a graduate of Clarksburg High School. After serving as an infantryman in the US Army in both the WWII European and Pacific theaters, he spent two years at UC Davis. He was an avid pilot and founding member of the Cal Aggie Flying Club at UCD known as the "Flying Farmers." He finished the final two years of his Bachelor's degree in Business and Agricultural Economics at UC Berkeley.

Bill returned to Clarksburg to farm with his father and brother-in-law as Hunn & Merwin & Merwin, Inc. He farmed until 1990 when he retired to travel and fly. Bill served his community well as a very active participant with the Clarksburg Community Church, West Sacramento Rotary, Yolo County Farm Bureau, Boy Scouts, Experimental Aircraft Association Chapter 25 and 52 supporting the Young Eagles flying program which acquaints young people with the joy of flying.

Bill served on many local, county and state committees promoting agriculture throughout his life. He was generous, kind, and had a great sense of humor. He shared his passion for flying with everyone he could. He was a loving husband, devoted father, and grandfather. He will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

Friends are invited to a memorial service on Thursday, November 15, 2001 at 11:00 a.m. at Clarksburg Community Church, Netherlands Road, Clarksburg. Remembrances can be made to the Clarksburg Community Church, Yolo County Hospice, or EAA Youth Scholarship.

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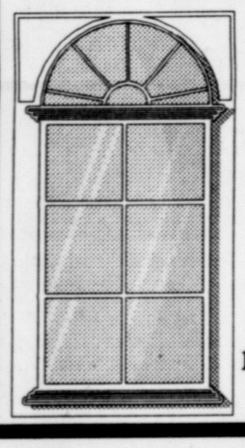

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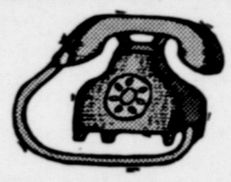

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SPORTS

SPORTS INSIDER

By Richard Novoa

The Sacramento Kings return from their four game road trip with a 2-2 record as they prepare for the third week of the NBA season. The Kings (5-2) are still without the services of All Star Chris Webber. Webber is expected to return the line-up in about three weeks just in time to face off with Philadelphia and Los Angeles in early December. The Kings will be at home for two against Toronto and Chicago but the big game will be next Sunday when they travel to Los Angeles for the return of the Shaq and Kobe show.

World Cup Soccer

The road to the World Cup Soccer tournament was finally settled last Sunday as Mexico clinched the third and final spot to Japan/Korea 2002. Mexico's Cuauhtemoc Blanco scored two goals and set-up a third goal in the second half to eliminate Honduras and secure their return to the world's largest soccer tournament. The United States (5-3-2) finished third in the North and Central American and Caribbean region with 17 points, six points behind Costa Rica (7-1-2). Honduras (4-4-2) eliminated with a 3-0 loss Sunday by Mexico (5-3-2). The final draw for brackets will be held on December 1 in Japan for the 34 teams that qualify for the grand trophy.

NFL Action

The 49ers (6-2) looked like a team headed in the right direction with a come from behind 28-27 victory over the New Orleans Saints. The Saints offense gained 488 yards on the Niners defense but in the end the 49ers used their ground game to complement Jeff Garcia's throwing arm.

Garrison Hearst had another outstanding day at the office with 145 yards rushing. The 49ers have the second-ranked rushing offense in the NFL (147.9 yards) and the second overall offense (385.3). Their passing attack is ranked fourth (237.4), and Garcia is second behind Oakland's Rich Gannon (98.6) with a 98.0 passer rating. Next up for the 49ers is trip to Carolina on Sunday to play the struggling Panthers (10 a.m.? FOX)

The Oakland Raiders (6-2) were ambushed by Seattle's running back Shaun Alexander, who ran through the Raiders defense for 266 yards. Seattle gained a total of 319 yards rushing in their 34-27 upset win over the division leading Raiders. The Raiders, who took the Seahawks lightly, beat up the Seahawks 38-14 in September. The Raiders knockout both Seahawks quarterbacks in that game which probably lead to the Sunday night payback on national TV (ESPN). The Raiders will head home next Sunday to host the San Diego Chargers (5-4) at 1:00 p.m.

My NFL picks are like the current stock market. I took another tumble this week losing all three games (10 wins, 15 losses, and 2 ties). The Bucs didn't cover spread and Raiders didn't tackle the runners and on Monday night I missed it by ½ yard in the Titans last second loss. This week I pulled out the darts and threw at the newspaper to select this weeks pick. Tampa Bay (-5) over "Da Bears" and 49ers (NL) to win in Carolina. On Monday night the Vikings (-2) will bounce back against the Giants or the season is over.

Boxing

Hasim "The Rock" Rahman (35-2, 29 KO's) is defending his WBC and IBF Heavyweight title against Lennox Lewis (38-2-1, 29 KO's) on Saturday (HBO-6p.m.) November 17th in Las Vegas. Both these fighters have 29 knockouts to their resume but I look for Lewis to increase his total to 30.

Bad news for local fighter, Juan Lazcano, who was scheduled to fight on the undercard of the De La Hoya fight on December 20th in Los Angeles. Oscar injured his wrist and will require surgery so the fight is postponed until May 4, 2002. Lazcano was to have earned his biggest payday as a professional fighter - $100,000.

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Sports QUIZ
by Chris Richcreek

1. Name the last major-league team for which Bo Jackson played before retiring from baseball.
2. Among major-league players 37 or older, who has recorded the most RBIs in a single season?
3. Only two Division I college football players have scored 200 points and passed for 200 points in their careers. Who are they?
4. When was the last time the winning team in an NBA All-Star Game had less than 100 points?
5. True or false: Brett Hull was a first-round selection in the NHL Entry Draft in 1984?
6. When Michael Schumacher became the winningest driver in Formula One history, whose record did he break?
7. Which women's tennis player holds the record for most matches won at the U.S. Open?

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 16, 2001
File No. 2001-693

The following person is doing business as E Z Office Supply, 2013 Pennsylvania Ct., West Sacramento CA 95691:

Harry E. Snyder, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 16 Oct. 2001.

/s/Harry E. Snyder

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State of California
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Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Oct 16, 2001
by: /s/, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct. 24, 2001
File No. 2001-713

The following person is doing business as UNIFITT, 1501 Madrone Ave. #30, W. Sacto. CA 95691:

Lonnie Lewis IV, same address.

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/s/Lonnie Lewis IV

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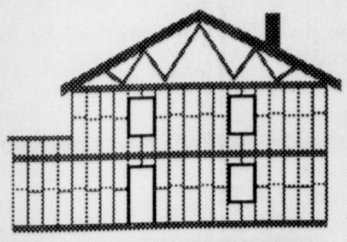

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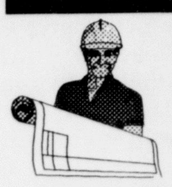

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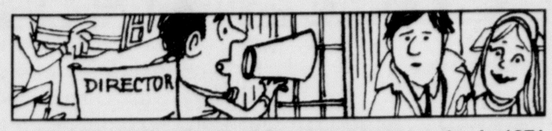

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 28, 2001
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This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/12/99.

/s/George M. Mann, VP of Manager

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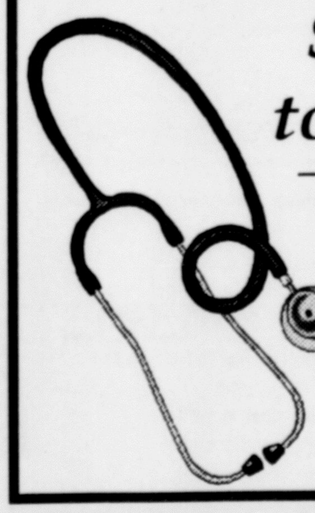

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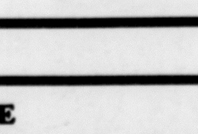

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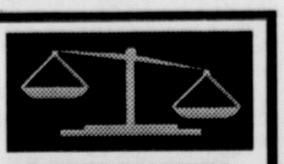

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ANTI-CASINO from p. 1

Sacramento.

"You get crime and that type of stuff when you open a casino – drugs, drunkenness, prostitution. These are the things you run into when you have a gambling facility. The other (Indian) gaming casinos are not in urban areas, but I think in Reno, Tahoe and Las Vegas, you have problems with these sorts of things."

He also says the casino will be a step backwards for the city's reputation.

"It's also a matter of image for the City of West Sacramento," said Burgat. "I don't think West Sacramento wants to be the first city in the state to bring Indian gaming into the city. I don't think West Sacramento wants to be known as the city with a casino in it. When you bring families and businesses into the community, the casino will be the thing that stands out. I'd rather it be things like Raley Field, River Walk and (Southport)."

Casino representative Roy Palmer told the News-Ledger his clients are similar to those who go out to dinner and dancing or a movie to be entertained – not crazed, addicted gamblers with ruined personal lives.

"The average age of the patrons today is 60-65," said Palmer. "They spend $40 to $50 dollars, and they spend all evening there, or they spend the night. They don't expect to win, but they do expect to be treated well – our view of a casino is that it's an entertainment complex. Nationally, the same amount of money is spent on gambling as it is on golf."

Burgat doesn't trust that analysis.

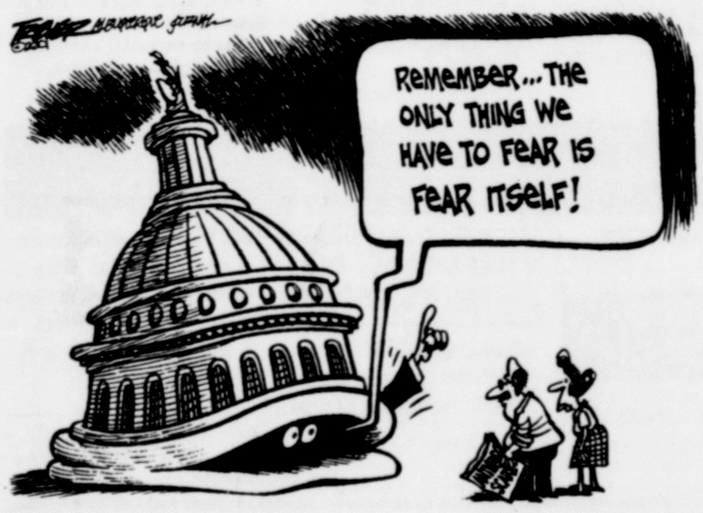
"If the average person is going to spend $40, and yet they're anticipating making hundreds of millions of dollars, then I don't think those numbers are going to compute," said Burgat. "Studies show that the people who play the lottery are the people who can least afford to lose."

Burgat was asked if the multi-million dollar contributions the casino is expected to make to the community might outweigh any social troubles it engenders.

"They're saying that if you come here, we will put part of that money back into the community, using it in some cases to fix the problems it creates. Where does the money come from? It comes from the citizens of West Sacramento, who live closest, and who bring their paychecks in and lose them. A very high percentage of the people will be from Yolo and Sacramento counties, and a very high percentage from West Sacramento, because we're right up the street."

The bottom line for Burgat is that the Upper Lake Pomo Indians should locate their casino in some rural area, like other Native American casinos in California.

"If the developers decided they wanted to move this project out to the rural part of the county, I'm not saying I'd support it, but I wouldn't work as hard against it," said Burgat. "If they're going to come in here where I have a house and am raising three kids – no, I can't let that happen without a fight."



HAZMAT from p. 1

suit up in "Class B" protective gear – one step below the security of "Class A" clothing often nicknamed "moon suits."

"I would say that in one case, where we had some white powder sitting in a bag in the driveway at a mobile home park, that was absolutely a hoax. Most of the others were just unusual circumstances. We had white powder found in the bottom of one of the local mail transports, which ended up being soap. In the case of the (mailbox in front of the Jefferson Blvd.) 7-11, it was just soap that settled to the bottom of the mailbox."

Summers said that no further action was taken on most of the collected samples.

"They did not meet the criteria for additional tests," he explained. "We thought – and the FBI agreed – that we'd hold onto the samples, but that the testing centers had more pressing needs."

The regional postal sorting center located on Industrial Blvd. in West Sacramento has been the source of a number of the calls for investigation, as workers noticed powdery substances they could not identify around their machinery.

"They're reacting correctly," said Summers of those who have called in anthrax concerns. "When you don't know, and you're worried, you need to protect yourself and call us, because that's the business we're in. If the piece of mail you receive looks unfamiliar, and it's not coming from someone you're expecting something from, and it looks strange, you should call us."

Nationwide, four people of died from anthrax infections, and most reported cases appear linked to spores sent in the mail by an unknown person following the Sept. 11 attacks.

TOURING with EDDI

I know, not many of you are from the East Coast as I am, nor are you as old as I, so I will tell you of a change in tradition.

On Halloween, we had parties. We dunked for apples, went on scavenger hunts, soaped car windows, and put many a garbage can on the front porch, but never did we say "trick or treat."

On Thanksgiving, we would dress as "ragamuffin-ish" as we could, take a paper sack, and head for the neighbors to ask, "anything for Thanksgiving?" Oh, the aromas emanating from those houses! We were always given apples, walnuts, cookies, and an occasional penny. We returned home tired and hungry to a great feast, fully appreciating our neighbors' generosity.

This year, have you given "anything for Thanksgiving" to the hungry here?

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I visited the H. Salt Esquire and Harbor Grill last Tuesday at about 11:30 a.m. There was one other customer there at the time. It was all self-service – you place an order, and when it's ready, they call you up to get it. I ordered their two-piece fish and small drink for $5.11 including tax. The two pieces of fish were placed on top of French fries in a cardboard boat. I also received some tartar sauce and two tiny napkins. The fish was obviously oily, since it had just been deep fried, and the napkins were gone in no time at all.

There was no place to put the malt vinegar, and no utensils to eat with (not even plastic). The fist was good, but too hot to hold onto, and the French fries were nice and crisp. There was a sign on the door advertising "clam chowder served in a bread bowl," and another on the counter for "fresh fried asparagus," for $1.65, and finally another advertising apple cinnamon fritters. They have a good selection of sodas and an equally good beer selection. You can get all kinds of seafood, including clams and calamari – or perhaps you like their chicken better.

The price for one person ranges from $2.49 to $11.30. Family dinners range from $11.99 to $26.57. I guess I have been misinformed. I had always been told that if you bought a franchise, like H. Salt Esquire, you were not permitted to run another business with it. The H. Salt Esquire and Harbor Grill was nice and clean, and as I left, a number of people were entering for lunch. I do wish the owners would invest in some larger napkins, and some silverware – even plastic would help some of the more fastidious eaters like myself.

H. Salt Fish & Chips and Harbor Grill is located at 2915 West Capitol Ave. (at Harbor Blvd.).

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Maintenance Superintendent - City of West Sacramento. $5032-6115/mo + exclnt bnfts. Req's AA + 5 yrs exper. Some exper subst for educ. For complete info, see job flyer. To obtain, send SASE, indicating position to HR, PO Bx 966, W. Sacto., CA 95691 or visit www.ci.west-sacramento.ca.us. FFD: 5pm, 01/04/02. NO POSTMARKS.
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In 1904, Jack W. Taylor of St. Louis set a major league record by throwing thirty-nine complete games during a single season!

Cooking Contest Corner

Batter Up—For A Family Baking Contest

(NAPS)—Family bakers used to the sweet smell of culinary success may have new reasons to continue their kitchen quests.

A new contest invites children and parents to submit an easy-to-prepare, original family recipe for a chance to win an all-expense-paid weekend at HERSHEYPARK® and the Spa at THE HOTEL HERSHEY®.

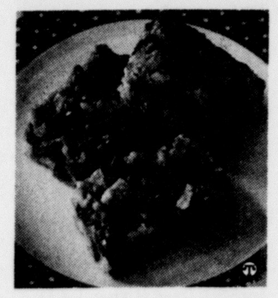
A winning parent-child team and two runners-up will be selected from all of the entries. To qualify, treats must meet the following requirements:

1. Baking together is better! Parent-child teams with kids under age 16 can enter.
2. The recipes must use at least two types of Hershey's Baking Chips and Bits.
3. Whether they're old favorites or new creations, recipes must be original.

"Having a family recipe that's easy-to-prepare, features ingredients almost everyone has in their kitchen cabinets, and can be handed down from generation to generation, is a true treasure for both kids and their parents," said Cecilia Deck, Consumer Food Specialist with Hershey Foods Corporation.

For an entry form, contest guidelines and helpful baking tips, visit www.hersheyskitchens.com. Entry deadline is January 15, 2002.

Simple recipes such as this one for Rich, Chocolate Chip Toffee bars can help get your creativity flowing.



Easy-to-prepare family recipes made with ingredients commonly found in most kitchens can win you a prize.

Rich Chocolate Chip Toffee Bars

2½ cups all-purpose flour
⅔ cup packed light brown sugar
¾ cup (1-½ sticks) butter or margarine
1 egg, slightly beaten
2 cups (12-oz pkg.) HERSHEY'S Semi-Sweet Chocolate Chips, divided
1 cup coarsely chopped nuts
1 can (14 oz.) sweetened condensed milk (not evaporated milk)
1¾ cups (10-oz. pkg.) SKOR English Toffee Bits or HEATH BITS O' BRICKLE Almond Toffee Bits, divided

1. Heat oven to 350 F. Grease 13x9x2-inch baking pan.

2. Combine flour and brown sugar in large bowl. Cut in butter until mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Add egg; mix well. Stir in 1-½ cups chocolate chips and nuts; set aside 1-½ cups mixture.

3. Press remaining crumb mixture onto bottom of prepared pan. Bake 10 minutes. Pour sweetened condensed milk evenly over hot crust; top with 1-½ cups toffee bits. Sprinkle reserved crumb mixture and remaining ½ cup chips over top.

4. Bake 25 to 30 minutes or until golden brown. Sprinkle with remaining ¼ cup toffee bits. Cool completely in pan on wire rack. Cut into bars.

About 48 bars.

***Note:* For a lighter drizzle, use ½ cup chocolate chips and ¾ teaspoon shortening. Microwave at HIGH for 30 seconds to 1 minute or until chips are melted when stirred.**

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OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial

Money and politics: another double helping ahead?

Next year, West Sacramento residents may get more political excitement than they've had in a long time.

Leaving aside the scheduled elections for the city council (moderately interesting) and school board (potentially more so), this city will find out if a proposal to build a massive tribal casino complex will be on the local ballot. Casinos means money – gobs of it. And money means politics.

Plenty of people will be concerned about the casino from both a "pro" and "con" standpoint, but what makes this campaign potentially explosive is the presence of such big money. Already, the casino backers have started surveying you by telephone to find out what you think about their plans. And also, some as-yet-unnamed party has been paying for similar telephone surveys on the other side of the campaign. Most likely, that anti-casino effort is being paid for by a competing gaming interest such as another casino. And that means there could be big money on both sides of a casino campaign in West Sacramento in 2002.

What will be interesting – if this money does find its way into the fight for your vote – is how much good the city's campaign contribution limits will do to protect us simply being blitzed by the highest spender. The city has limited individual campaign contributions to a maximum of $250 (for either a city council race or a ballot measure) following a big-dollar blowout of a local campaign in 1990 that the city fought over the zoning of the Southport Industrial Park area.

The problem is that there are "loopholes."

Campaign contribution limits must be balanced with First Amendment rights in order to be Constitutional, so one of these loopholes is that a person may spend as much of his own money as he likes on his own campaign, as long as that campaign isn't linked to somebody else's campaign committee. Or, at least, as long as it can't be proven to be linked to somebody else's committee.

Another way to donate more than $250 to a cause is to go around the law. You or your company might be restricted to the $250 donation, but your employees and your vendors can all be "encouraged" to kick in additional $250 checks. And you can start a political action committee, or two, or three, to make additional contributions. Or you can start additional campaign committees to accept additional donations, so that three or four different committees are all working "independently" on the same side of a campaign, each supported by the "maximum" donation from some of the same people.

Just how far the laws can be bent without breaking is unclear. For West Sacramento and its campaign reform laws, some of these answers may come next year.

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In the meantime, what do you do about those pesky political telephone surveys?

The first thing to keep in mind is that most of them are not motivated by a sincere desire to find out what you want and then give it to you. They are, instead, designed to find out what you want and then figure out a way to make you think they are giving it to you.

Campaigners, such as those working for and against the casino, would like to find out your "hot button issues" so they can shape their coming campaign to maximize your response. Are you most concerned about local jobs? Crime? Traffic? Rest assured, the surveyors will use your answers on topics such as these to shape their campaigns. They'll spoon-feed your concerns back to you as a wrapper around their own message. If you tell them that lower crime rates, less traffic and more employment are your major worries, then you can bet that both sides of the campaign will try to find a way to convince you that voting their way will cut crime, reduce congestion and bring jobs. That's just how the game works.

It's usually better to decline to participate in these surveys. After all, why should you spend valuable minutes of your time working as an unpaid campaign volunteer?

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Letters to the Editor

Build that casino!

As a senior citizen who occasionally takes trips to Reno for "the action", it was great news to hear that a hotel casino is being considered in West Sacramento!

The image of this city will become more positive along with Raley Field and the pyramid office building on the River Walk.

I personally would vote for a new hotel casino in November 2002. I feel it is time for West Sacramento to start looking like a first-class city with a future.

Casinos have been very successful in California. I look forward to this major change in out city.

CHARLES SANO
West Sacramento

Turn in your old flags

The West Sacramento Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 8762 has begun a drive to recover worn, tattered and unserviceable American flags from the community.

According to the flag code, when a flag is no longer a fitting emblem for display, it needs to be destroyed in a dignified manner. Anyone having such a flag can bring it to the VFW at 905 Drever Street for a proper disposal from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily through December 7th, the 60th anniversary of the attack on Pearl Harbor. For more information, you can call the Post at 371-7245.

SAVINO SANCHEZ
VFW Post 8762 Commander

Christmas baskets

How can the year have gone so fast? The West Sacramento Christmas Basket Project has already met twice as we prepare for the 2001 holiday season. Many of you have already received a letter from the West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce and the California School Board Association reminding you that it is time to set aside funds and toys for the toy portion of the Project.

Another main part of the Basket Project is to provide a good holiday meal for the less fortunate in the cites of West Sacramento and Clarksburg. "Baskets" are tailored to family size so there is plenty for all. This year we are approximating the cost of a holiday basket at about $38. The baskets' needs are met by donations of food, services, and cash from businesses, churches, and community groups and individuals. Any extra funds and/or food at the end of the year's project are channeled into the local food closets system. The 2000 project provided baskets for over 800 families and over 3,000 people.

Anyone interested in helping can do so by donating canned foods, baby food, fruits, staples, etc.; by preparing lunch for 25 volunteers who will be sorting food and packing baskets; by providing a complete holiday basket for a needy family; or by making a cash donation to the West Sacramento Christmas Basket Project, PO Box 1236, West Sacramento, CA 95691.

For more information, call 372-3360.

HELEN HELMOLD
Chair, West Sacramento Christmas Basket Project

Remembering Raymond John Santos III

I am writing this letter in regards to the article in the October 3, 2001 Sacramento Bee as well as the article in the October 28, 2001 Bee. I knew Raymond the better part of his life and watched this sweet, loving child get lost in our system. He was an orphan of the court. Both of his parents were taken from him and he was left in the care of our system. A system that failed him miserably.

I find it difficult to understand how this could happen. He was an orphan of the courts and they discarded him like so many of our troubled youth. And in the end the only thing anyone saw was a headline that read; West Sac officers kill male, say he had fired rifle at them.

Maybe it's time to start asking ourselves what series of events could have possibly triggered a tragedy such as this. How many times in his young life did he wake up in the back seat of a car and still head off to school, as if all children started their day like this? How hard had he struggled

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct 18, 2001
File No. 2001-699

The following person is doing business as Webola Design, 1642 ArcherDr., Woodland CA 95695:

David Krause, 1642 Archer Drive, Woodland CA 95695; Mark Eagleton, 808 Fourth St., Woodland CA 95776.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on October 18, 2001. Previous fictitious business name number .

/s/David Krause

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
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File No. 2001-728

The following person is doing business as The Botanist's Apothecary, 2432 Leonardo St., Davis CA 95616:

Kitren Glozer & Shelley Wood, same address as above .

This business is conducted by Co-Partners.

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/s/Kitren Glozer
/s/Shelley Wood

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We cannot live only for ourselves. A thousand fibers connect us with our fellow men; and among those fibers, as sympathetic threads, our actions run as causes, and they come back to us as effects.
—Herman Melville

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After baseball, America's favorite pastime may be the process of reinventing itself, continuously redefining its identity and searching for its soul.
—Brenda Payton

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To own a bit of ground, to scratch it with a hoe, to plant seeds, and watch their renewal of life—this is the commonest delight of the race, the most satisfactory thing a man can do.
—Charles Dudley Warner

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct. 9, 2001
File No. 2001-670

The following person is doing business as Entovative or Entovative Products, LLC, 5017 Swingle Dr., Davis CA 95616:

Thomas Gentle, 5017 Swingle Dr., Davis CA 95616; David Stone, 224 A St. Apt. 4, Davis CA 95616.

This business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company.

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/s/Thomas Gentle

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 31, 2001
File No. 2001-576

The following person is doing business as Graphics Buff, 42321 Fourth St., Knights Landing CA 95645:

Marty Albert O'Clair, same address.

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/s/Marty A. O'Clair

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct. 15, 2001
File No. 2001-691

The following person is doing business as St. George Apartments, 811 F St., Davis CA 95616:

Jim Belenis, 633 Elmwood Dr., Davis CA 95616; Elizabeth Belenis, 811 F St. #B7, Davis CA 95616; Alice Belenis, 633 Elmwood Drive, Davis CA 95616.

This business is conducted by a Limited Partnership.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/1987. Previous fictitious business name number 1992570092882-00.

/s/Alice Belenis
/s/E. Belenis
/s/Jim Belenis

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 28, 2001
File No. 2001-642

The following person is doing business as Citiwear, 1264 E. Gibson Rd. #G709, Woodland CA 95776:

Moo Sung Han, 326 Endless Ct., El Dorado Hills, CA 95762.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/25/96. Previous fictitious business name number 96-670.

/s/Moo S. Han

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct. 22, 2001
File No. 2001-705

The following person is doing business as Sacramento Bumper and Coating, 820 E St., West Sacramento 95691:

Terry J. Caves and Janice C. Caves, 2505 Ahern St., Marysville CA 95901.

This business is conducted by a Husband and Wife.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10-22-01.

/s/Janice C. Caves

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Oct. 9, 2001
File No. 2001-670

The following person is doing business as Woodland Nutrition, 424 First St., Woodland CA 95695:

Michael Edward O'Connor & Katherine O'Connor, 1102 Gary Way, Woodland CA 95695.

This business is conducted by Husband and Wife.

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/s/Michael O'Connor
/s/Katherine O'Connor

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 21, 2001
File No. 2001-622

The following person is doing business as Woodland Shell, 2020 East Main St., Woodland CA 95776:

Houngkwun Kim, 455 Joiner Parkway #100, Lincoln CA 95648.

This business is conducted by an Individual.

The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Sep 21. 2001.

/s/Houngkwun Kim

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NOTICE TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION

A Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared for the Seymour Avenue Tentative Subdivision (TPM 4550) proposed along the north side of Jefferson Boulevard and Davis Road (APN 045-260-13) in West Sacramento, CA. This Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared to address the potential environmental impacts of the proposed subdivision of an existing +/- 5.0 acre parcel into two +/- 2.5 acre residential building lots. The parcel is zoned Rural Estates (RE).

The Mitigated Negative Declaration concludes that with the implementation of recommended mitigation measures, there will be no significant adverse impacts on the environment. Copies of the Mitigated Negative Declaration are on file in the office of the West Sacramento Community Development Department at 1951 South River Road, and at the Turner Library at 1212 Merkley Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691 (916-373-5854.

Any affected or interested parties may submit comments to the Community Development Department no later than December 4, 2001. Any affected or interested parties may also appear at the December 6, 2001 Planning Commission meeting and comment on the Mitigated Negative Declaration and/or the proposed project.

The West Sacramento Planning Commission will consider adoption of the Mitigated Negative Declaration on December 6, 2001 in the City Council chambers located at 1350 Halyard Drive, West Sacramento, California, at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard.

PUZZLES & COMICS

Got a Life

by Terri Davis

Ouch! High heels were obviously invented by men.
Oh, really? So what were invented by women?
Let's see... pajamas, fuzzy slippers, baggy sweats...
...and neck-ties, just for spite.

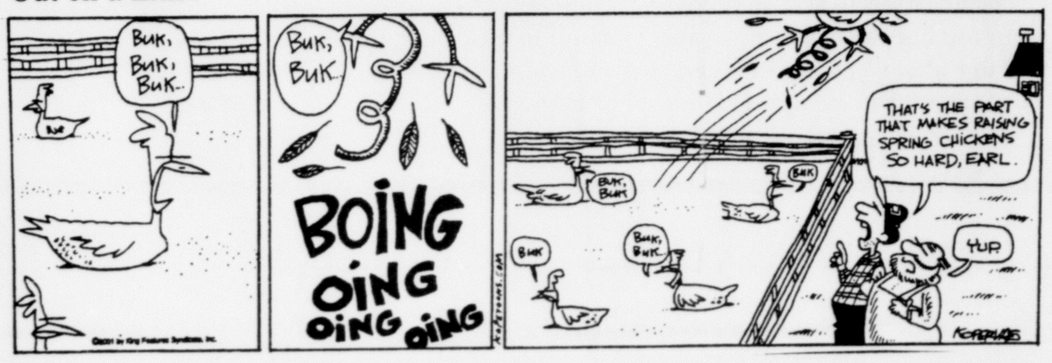
The Spats

by Jeff Pickering

GRANDPA, HOW HAVE YOU BEEN?
HI JEFFY, EVERYTIME YOU VISIT IT FILLS MY HEART WITH JOY!
AND EVERYTIME I VISIT HE FILLS MY EARS WITH A BUNCH OF BALONEY.

Out on a Limb

by Gary Kopervas



R.F.D.

by Mike Marland

POPEYE
HY EISMAN
WHAT ARE THE FLOWERS FOR?
IT'S OLIVE'S BIRT'DAY!
SEEING LOVE TOKENS DEPRESSES ME!
WHY DO LOVE TOKENS DEPRESS YA, MATEY?
THEY REMIND ME OF MY FIRST LOVE...
...A VERY TRAUMATIC EMOTIONAL EXPERIENCE OF MY CHILDHOOD!
...IN GRAMMAR SCHOOL I WAS MADLY IN LOVE WITH RIKKI LEDERMAN...
"...SHE WAS ASSIGNED TO CARING FOR THE CLASS PARAKEET..."
ONE DAY I COMPOSED A LOVE SONNET AND PASSED IT TO HER...
THAT WUZ A TENDER THING T'DO...HOW'D SHE LIKE IT?
SHE VERY CAREFULLY UNFOLDED IT...
...AND PLACED IT ON THE BOTTOM OF THE BIRD CAGE!

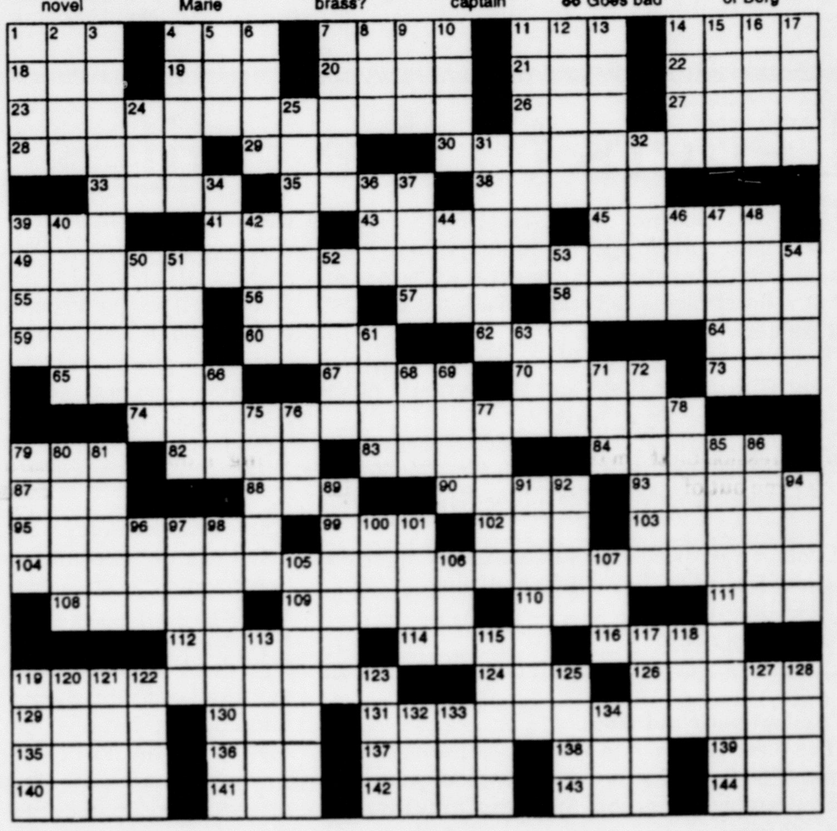
FLASH GORDON
By JIM KEEFE
www.keefestudios.com
DREAMING OF PAST ADVENTURES, DALE IS ROUSED FROM HER SLEEP BY THE SOUND OF A ROCKET SHIP.
DALE, IT'S A RESCUE PARTY!
ZARKOV! HOW DID YOU FIND US?
WE WERE ABLE TO ZERO IN ON THE COORDINATES OF MING'S FORTRESS BEFORE IT WAS DESTROYED.
THANK GOODNESS YOU'RE ALIVE. I FEARED THE WOR...
RRRRRRAHR!
THE CREATURE! IT...IT SURVIVED THE WATERFALL!
NO TIME FOR A REUNION, DOC.
LET'S GO!
GUN IT!
SORRY FOR THE RUDE AWAKENING, DARLING.
IT'S NOT A CONCERN. THE IMPORTANT THING IS WE'RE ALL TOGETHER AGAIN...SAFE.
THAT'S ALL THAT MATTERS.
NEXT! NEW ADVENTURE

Super Crossword

DRIVEN TO EXTREMES

ACROSS
1 Go (for)
4 Rock's — Jovi
7 Prettify a poodle
11 Tom or tabby
14 Baja bite
18 Opera prog.
19 Psychic Geller
20 — -de-camp
21 Ben — -Wan Kenobi
22 Eager
23 Speaker of remark at 30 Across
26 Aries animal
27 Josip Broz
28 Synthetic fiber
29 Wallach of "The Deep"
30 Start of a remark by 23 Across
33 Actress Barbara
35 Border on
38 Throne and pew
39 "Saint Joan" monogram
41 Tasty tuber
43 Drilling site?
45 "It — Be You" ('24 song)
49 Part 2 of remark
55 Fight site
56 Nabokov novel
57 "I told you so!"
58 TV's "— for Adventure"
59 Show one's feelings
60 One of the Marches
62 109 Across abbr.
64 Aries assent
65 Ray
67 "Fatha" Hines
70 Part of CPA
73 Thompson or Salonga
74 Part 3 of remark
79 Advanced deg.
82 Blyton or Bagnold
83 Tender
84 Fell
87 O'Hare info
88 Rita of "Klute"
90 Baseball's Bucky
93 Freeze
95 Beautiful butterfly
99 Genesis vessel
102 "Da — Ron Ron" ('63 hit)
103 "Kol —"
104 Part 4 of remark
108 "Lovergirl" singer Marie
109 Weight Watchers fixture
110 Bear lair
111 Burro
112 Strep's kin
114 List ender
116 Move like a mouse
119 Part 5 of remark
124 You can retire on it
126 Toad features
129 Madame Bovary
130 "— pro nobis"
131 End of remark
135 Row
136 Garage supply
137 Auctioneer's cry
138 Hunan pan
139 — -Magnon
140 Disoriented
141 Welcome item?
142 Duel tool
143 Society column word
144 Boar's beloved

DOWN
1 Gymnast Korbut
2 Wharf
3 Butcher's offering
4 Army brass?
5 Trams transport it
6 Likable
7 West Indian
8 "— Abner"
9 Name in Ugandan politics
10 Hang in the balance
11 Angel on horseback
12 Islamic garment
13 Hutton and Dalton
14 "Little Man —" ('91 film)
15 Tel —
16 Quote an expert
17 Bouquet
24 Chianti color
25 Pie —
31 Sanford of "The Jeffersons"
32 Grammarian's concern
34 Comic Louis
36 Thurman of "The Avengers"
37 "Sixteen —" ('55 song)
39 Growl
40 Anesthetizes an audience
42 "Pequod" captain
44 Caustic substance
46 '49 Edmond O'Brien film
47 Alpine area
48 Perfectly timed
50 Pizarro's victims
51 Livestock
52 Moisten the marigolds
53 "— Inferno" ('78 hit)
54 Karmann — (Volkswagen model)
61 Beaver and beret
63 Sound like a hound
66 Forever and a day
68 Pi follower
69 Cooking fat
71 Bossy's chew
72 Like hard work
75 British Isle
76 Author LeShan
77 Indigent
78 Word form for "community"
79 — Cass
80 Facade
81 Palmer, to pals
85 Branch of medicine
86 Goes bad
89 "Man of La —"
91 Pasta
92 Pitch
94 Violin parts
96 Citrus cooler
97 Washer cycle
98 Theater feature
100 Nutritional abbr.
101 Cabbage cousin
105 Paving material
106 Badminton divider
107 Final point
113 Lofty spaces
115 Put up with
117 Rouse
118 Made tracks
119 Chalky cheese
120 Baudelaire's buddies
121 "Peter Pan" pirate
122 Mitchell homestead
123 AMEX rival
125 Time to crow?
127 Starch source
128 Flat-bottomed boat
132 "Alley —"
133 Diminutive suffix
134 Drabowsky or Berg



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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF

Find at least six differences in details between panels.

MAGIC MAZE

ONE-WORD BROADWAY SHOWS

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J I G F T N E R D C A A O A Y
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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions - forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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Betrayal	Cats	Gypsy	Rent
Brigadoon	Chicago	Nine	Titanic
Cabaret	Copenhagen	Othello	

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ACROSS THE BRIDGE:

Events around the Sacramento region

Christmas at Governor's Mansion

On December 8,9,15&16 there will be live holiday music, photos with Santa, and docents in Victorian costumes at the Governor's Mansion, a 1877 Second Empire-Italianate Victorian Mansion which was the home of California governors from 1903-1967. For more information, call 323-3047.

Holiday Faire

The 29th Annual Gifts 'n Tyme Holiday Faire will be held at the Napa Valley Exposition (Third Street in Napa) on November 16,17&18. Many different arts and crafts will be on sale at 82 separate booths. Parking and admission is free.

Genealogical Association meets

The Genealogical Association of Sacramento will meet at 1 p.m on November 21st at the Belle Cooledge Library, 5600 South Land Park Drive in Sacramento. Visitors are welcome and you can call 682-8004 for more information.

Panda twins on display

Red panda twins, born on June 16th, are now on exhibit with their parents daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Sacramento Zoo, located near the corner of Land Park Drive and Sutterville Road in William Land Park.

Tall ships to visit Sacto

The replica tall ships, Hawaiian Chieftain and Lady Washington will be in Old Sacramento by the Tower Bridge from November 5-19. Both ships will be available for educational school outings, gunbattle sails and dockside tours. For more reservations and information, call 800-200-Lady.

Free hair cuts

The Sacramento City College Cosmetology Department will offer free hair cuts or a manicure with a canned food donation Nov. 27-30. Appointments from 9 a.m to 1 p.m. may be scheduled by calling 558-2595.

Quilt show

The Yolo County Arts Council is seeking quilters who would like to participate in the Autumn Quilt Exhibition at the Erwin Meier Administration Building in Woodland from November 1-26. Those interested should contact the YCAC at 530-666-8210, or e-mail yoloarts@cal.net.

Winter bird festival

From January 18-21 at Morro Bay State Park and Morro Strand State Beach visitors will have the opportunity to see some of the 200-plus bird species in the area's nationally known birding area on the Pacific Flyway. Form more information, call 800-231-0592.

Calico Christmas

The 30th annual Calico Christmas Open House will be held in Amador City on December 1-2. There will be carolers, Charles Dickens Christmas Characters and much more.

For more information, call Connie at 209-267-0848.

Police log

Nov. 9, 7:21 a.m.

A business's pickup truck was stolen from a Harbor Blvd. location.

Nov. 9, 10 a.m.

An officer responded to an elementary school after a female student was reportedly beaten outside of class by three other female students. The suspects had been suspended from school, and were scheduled to be cited by the police department.

Nov. 9, 10:30 a.m.

An officer responded to a high school after school officials found a knife in a student locker during a routine check. The students sharing the locker were cited.

Nov. 9, 3:30 p.m.

At Harbor Blvd., police and fire personnel responded after a five gallon can of paint fell of a moving truck and spilled onto northbound lanes. There was no information on the identity of the driver involved.

Nov. 9, 3:55 p.m.

An officer was dispatched to West Capitol Ave. regarding a subject throwing bottles. The officer found a 40-year old homeless woman sitting in the bushes near the railroad tracks. She had two glass drug pipes and a marijuana cigarette. She was arrested.

Nov. 10, 8:30 p.m.

Police responded to the case of a 21-year old man passed out in a car that didn't belong to him on Todhunter Ave. The man said he had drunk about seven beers at a Sacramento bar and couldn't recall how he got into the vehicle. He was arrested.

Nov. 11, 1:25 a.m.

An officer was dispatched to a Merkley apartment, where a neighboring 35-year old man had tried to break in. Before being searched, the man admitted having a drug pipe in his pocket. He was arrested.

Nov. 11, 6:10 a.m.

On Alameda Ave., officers responded after a witness said several suspects were removing boxes from a tire store, using a sheet metal panel on the corner of the building for access. The men were gone when officers arrived, but had left boxes of merchandise outside before they fled, after the witness stepped outside nearby while calling police. It was the second incident at that location in a week.

Nov. 11, 8 a.m.

On Fourth St., neighbors reported that a car had been parked for three weeks. Police found that it had been reported stolen from Sacramento.

Nov. 11, 5:01 p.m.

A West Capitol Ave. man was arrested for a domestic disturbance. The man's girlfriend had reported that on Nov. 7, he had held her arms for three hours and wouldn't let her leave the room, and that he had bitten her arm and pulled the phone cord from the wall when she tried to call police. She had bruising consistent with a bite.

Nov. 11, 11 p.m.

Officers reported seeing a deer in the parking lot for Raley Field. The deer was last seen on River Walk park.

LETTERS from p. 7

to find just a small taste of the normal day-to-day life that we all take for granted? It breaks my heart. We buried him on Friday. One of the absolute saddest days of my life. At the funeral, I met two women who had flown here from Southern California. They were not relatives, they were people who had worked with him during his commitment to a juvenile facility and a subsequent stay at a group home. He had made such an impression on them that they took time out of their busy lives to come pay their last respects to a young boy who somehow slipped through the cracks.

I would like to share a bit of the insight with you they shared with me. They explained that during his seventeen month stay in the facility Raymond earned 100 school credits, which was unprecedented. They went on to add that he tried very hard and was a straight-A student, the head of the student council, and well-liked by all. A happy child who got along well with others, worked hard and was affectionate.

It seems to me that after 17 months they felt it was time to integrate him back into society. He was sent to a group home in San Bernadino County. The adjustment was difficult but he started to settle in and do well. Once again, his grades were wonderful, he started playing football, and was getting comfortable. Basically he did absolutely everything that was asked of him and excelled at it. However, apparently it just was not enough for that county, which is a poor county. They gave him the run around and he became frustrated. They told him that they could no longer keep him in the group home and they could not afford it. They said it was up to him to find a place to go or they would send him to foster care and no one wants to foster a 16-year-old troubled youth. So he obviously did exactly what they told him to and found a place to go. He stole a car and came home. Sometimes we need to watch what we say to young impressionable children who are trying so hard to please. If this is not an example of our system failing I don't know what is.

How is it possible in today's world that such a bright, loving, happy child could end his short life being gunned down and no one even bothers to ask why? He was a child caught in the ugly crossfire, paying a high price for his mistakes. How long did he carry this pain, fear, and loneliness inside him before this fatal night?

We are quick to point a finger at a child and say he was wrong. But what about us? When do we pay for our wrongs? When we take a child's parents away and discard the child, hasn't he paid enough? Do we really need to only mention the mistakes he made in his very short life? Does that somehow make it easier for us to dismiss our own wrongs? Do we sleep better at night because one more scared, confused orphan of our system is gone? I for one will miss his smiling face and the sparkle in his eyes, although I know that tonight he sleeps with the angels. Those of us who knew him were blessed. He was a good kid and I guess I felt that it was important that you knew that.

TERRI ANN KRESTOFF
West Sacramento

YMCA childcare opens at Southport school site

The City of West Sacramento and the Washington Unified School District partnered last year to install a new portable classroom at Southport Elementary School. A contract with the YMCA organization has made the new facility the district's second before- and after-school child care site run by YMCA in West Sacramento. The first YMCA child care site is located near Evergreen Elementary School.

The new site is fully enrolled with children, said the city's parks department.

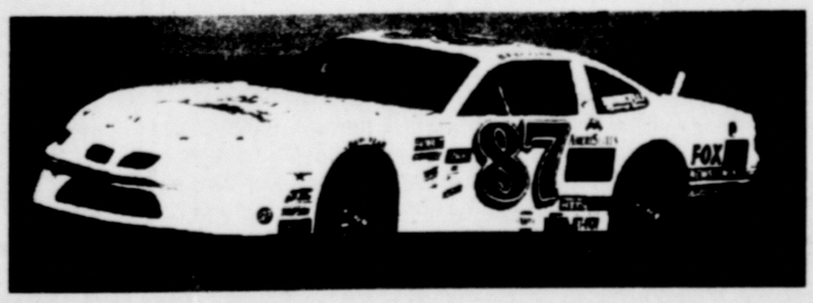
Little Benny Gene Sanchez was born Nov. 3 to Domingo and Rachelle Sanchez, and weighed in at 10 lbs., 5 oz. He measured 22 inches. Welcome!

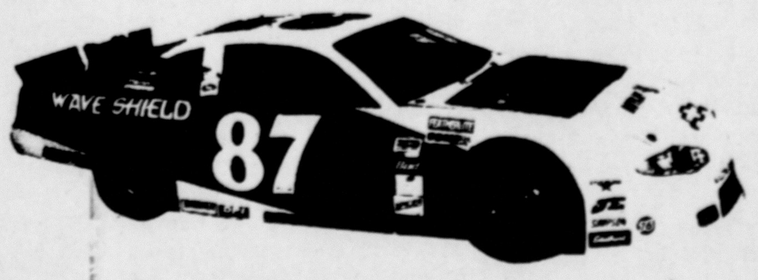
November 3, 2001

CONGRATULATIONS, BURNEY LAMAR!
Rookie of the Year!

Burney Lamar, a 21-year old rookie from West Sacramento, California, won the NASCAR Featherlite Southwest Series "Rookie of the Year" title at Tucson Raceway Park, the final event for the 2001 season. Lamar qualified third, won the Trophy Dash, and finished the 150-lap feature in eighth place.

Thanks to Bonicelli Racing Team of Colorado Springs, Colorado, for a great year and a job well done! Sponsored in part by WaveShield (www.asafephone.com) & Carasco Enterprises, West Sacramento, CA





PUBLIC NOTICE

The Yolo County Housing Authority will be opening the Section 8 Program waiting list. Applications will be accepted during the following time period:
December 10, 2001 thru June 10, 2002

Monday thru Friday
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Applications will not be accepted prior to December 10, 2001 @ 8:00 a.m.

Pre-applications and information are available at our offices located at:

685 Lighthouse Drive, Building 16, W. Sacramento, CA 95691
62 Shams Drive, Winters, CA 95694
1224 Lemen Avenue, Woodland, CA 95776

Applicant's position on the waiting list will be based on date and time of receipt; **preference will be given to Yolo County Residents, Veterans and working families. Preferences must be verified at time of pre-application and again prior to issuing subsidy. Family composition and income will not be verified until a final application is taken and subsidy is available.** The pre-application is to place your name on the waiting list; waiting time may vary between one thru five years.

All pre-applications must be brought or mailed to the main office, located at 1224 Lemen Avenue, Woodland, CA 95776. Pre-applications must be date stamped at the Housing Authority office on or before June 10, 2002. Postmarks will not be accepted.

Applicants will be notified by mail that they have either been placed on the waiting list or do not qualify, within thirty days of the application submission date.

Nov 14 21 28 Dec 5

NOTICE TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION

A Negative Declaration has been prepared for the Verizon Wireless communication facility located at 1031 Triangle Court, West Sacramento. This Negative Declaration has been prepared to address the potential environmental impacts of a proposed addition of three flat mounted personal communications antennas to the 90' Charter Communications tower and one aggregate equipment cabinets at 1031 Triangle Court, West Sacramento. The Negative Declaration concludes that with the implementation of recommended mitigation measures, there will be no significant adverse impacts on the environment.

Copies of the Negative Declaration are on file in the office of the West Sacramento Community Development Department at 1951 South River Road, and at the Turner Library at 1212 Merkley Avenue, West Sacramento, CA 95691, phone: 916/373-5854.

Any affected or interested parties may submit comments to the Community Development Department no later than December 4, 2001.

Any affected or interested parties may also appear at the December 6, 2001 Planning Commission meeting and comment on the Negative Declaration and/or the proposed project.

The West Sacramento Planning Commission will consider adoption of the Negative Declaration on December 6, 2001 in the City Council chambers located at 1350 Halyard Drive, West Sacramento, CA, 95691, at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard.

Nov 14

ORDINANCE 01-19
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST SACRAMENTO AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WEST SACRAMENTO AND THE BOARD OF ADMINISTRATION OF THE CALIFORNIA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

The City Council of the City of West Sacramento does ordain as follows:

Section 1.

That an amendment to the contract between the City Council of the City of West Sacramento and the Board of Administration, California Public Employees' Retirement System is hereby authorized, a copy of said amendment being attached hereto, marked "Exhibit", and by such reference made a part hereof as though herein set out in full.

Section 2.

The Mayor of the City Council of the City of West Sacramento is hereby authorized, empowered, and directed to execute said amendment for an on behalf of said Agency.

Section 3.

This Ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after the date of its adoption, and prior to the expiration of fifteen (15) days from the passage thereof, shall be published at least once in a newspaper of general circulation, published and circulated in the City of West Sacramento.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of West Sacramento this 7th day of November 2001, by the following vote:

AYES: Cabaldon, Cahill, Kristoff, Villegas, Montemayor
NOES: None
/s/Mark P. Montemayor, Mayor
ATTEST:
/s/Helen M. Kanowsky, City Clerk
APPROVED AS TO FORM:
/s/Robert E. Murphy, City Attorney

Nov 14

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Local Scene

Groundbreaking

The Metro Place @ Washington Square development will host a groundbreaking Thursday, Nov. 15, at 10:30 a.m. at its 4th & C St. location. The project's developers will at a future time dedicate a plaque to the former Washington Schoolhouse that sat at the same location, said a representative of the local historical society.

Pet clinic

An evening of fun is scheduled for Nov. 16 to support the Mercer Clinic, which is a nonprofit, student-organized clinic providing free care to pets belonging to homeless people. The clinic is open mornings on the second Saturday of each month provided by Loaves and Fishes in Sacramento. To help with the fundraising party, or for more information, call (530) 752-1143.

Holiday bazaar

There will be a holiday bazaar from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Dec. 1 at the Clarksburg Library to benefit the Yolo Hospice organization and the library. For sale will be baked goods, toys, cookbooks, baskets, cosmetics, preserves, plants, gift items and many more items. Call (916) 775-1553 for information.

Holiday lights

The U.S. 40 Association is looking for volunteers and organizations to help decorate the Safeway shopping center parking lot near Jefferson Blvd. and West Capitol Ave. on Dec. 8 from 6-8 p.m. Earlier the same day, interested people will meet at Helen's Picnic Place restaurant on Merkley Ave. to caravan to Auburn to see that city's light show. A potluck is planned.

Poinsettia sale

The West Sacramento Kiwanis Club is offering holiday poinsettia flowers for sale for $8.50 each. Order before Nov. 19 by contacting any Kiwanis member, or by calling Phil Cunningham at 371-1204 or John Combs at 961-6514. Or buy one on Dec. 1 at the Moose Lodge, Whitey's Jolly Kone, or Our Lady of Grace School. Order early to assure you'll get one! Proceeds help send children to camp.

Citizenship

Catholic Social Services is sponsoring a "citizenship workshop" to educate people on the legal rights and requirements of becoming a U.S. citizen. The workshop will be held Sat., Nov. 17, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Woodland Adult School, 575 Hays St. in Woodland. Call (707) 649-1615 for information, including information on what to bring to the workshop.

Moose doings

The West Sacramento Moose Lodge will serve an old-fashioned Thanksgiving dinner on Nov. 17 from 6-8 p.m. Donations for adults are $7; children 10 and under, $3.50. Only 100 dinners will be served, so call 371-9684 for more information right away.

On Nov. 24, the lodge will host a fundraiser to support the Society of Women Engineers at CSUS. There will be a harvest feast dinner from 6-7:30 p.m., and music from 8 p.m. to midnight. Call 374-8304 for information.

On Nov. 30, the lodge will host a potluck dinner and Christmas tree trimming party beginning at 6 p.m. Bring your favorite dish to share.

On Friday, Dec. 7, the lodge will host a Cajun night with dancing 8:30-p.m. to midnight (cover charge is $10). Dinner of Cajun sausage sandwiches and trimmings ($5) will be served. Call 371-6303 or 371-9684.

Poster contest

The National Trust for Historic Preservation today announced a poster contest with the theme "Preserving the Spirit of Place." The contest is open to schools, nonprofit organizations and states and local governments, and can bring prizes of up to $2,000. Winning entry will become the National Trust's official Preservation Week poster nationwide. Deadline is Jan. 4. Call (202) 588-6037, e m a i l preservationweek@nthp.org, or visit www.nationaltrust.org/preservationweek for information.

Quilts visit Yolo

Fifty quilts from the nation's Upper Midwest will be on display at the Heidrick Ag History Museum in Woodland from Nov. 1 to December 7. The "fiber art" pieces are generally meant for decorative rather than practical purposes. The museum is located at 1962 Hays Lane and is open weekdays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is $6 for adults; $5 for seniors and $4 for children 6-14. Children under six and center members are admitted without charge.

Golden Years Club

West Sacramento's Golden Years Club will hold a catered Thanksgiving dinner at the VFW Hall, 905 Drever St., on Tues., Nov. 20 at 6 p.m. The club is open to people 50 and over. Call 371-8479 or 371-8126 for further information.

Christmas baskets

Signups to receive Christmas baskets of holiday food will be held Sun., Nov. 25, to Wed., Dec. 12 at the Information Center for Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse, located at the Community Lutheran Church, 920 Drever St., Suite 100. Weekday hours will be 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturdays 9:30 – 11:30 a.m., and Sundays 1-3 p.m. Bring proof of residency such as a rent receipt or utility bill, driver's license or other ID, proof of income such as paycheck stub, Medi-Cal stub, etc., and social security card. One basket per family/residence. Distribution will be Dec. 20-21 at the ILWU Hall, 4th & F Streets, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Toys will be distributed Dec. 22 from 1-6 p.m. for children 14 and under.

Craft bazaar

Our Lady of Grace School will hold a Craft Bazaar on Sat., Dec. 1, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Santa will be available for pictures from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Refreshments will be sold. To rent a table ($10), call 371-9416 and complete the rental before Thanksgiving.

Parks plan

The West Sacramento parks master plan update will be presented for public review on Tues., Dec. 11, at 7 p.m. at Southport Elementary School, 2747 Linden Rd. (Jefferson south, right on Linden). For more information, call 373-5860.

Interfaith

People of all faiths are invited to the first West Sacramento Interfaith Thanksgiving eve service on Wed., Nov. 21, at 7 p.m. at Holy Cross Church, Anna and Todhunter streets. Call 371-8804 for information. There will be prayer, praise, readings, meditation and music.

Arts presentation

Golden State Middle School will present its first visual and performing arts celebration of the school year on Wed., Nov. 14, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the school cafeteria. Band students will perform music from Mozart to marches; Hmong dancers will be on hand, and art students will display their work. The community is invited. Call 375-7700 for information.

Youth basketball

The West Sacramento Parks and Community Services District is accepting registration for its youth basketball league through Nov. 30. The league invites all boys and girls age 5-13. A $30 fee includes jersey and award. Player evaluation is scheduled for Dec. 1; games are played on Saturdays beginning in January. Call 373-5860 for information.

Thanksgiving service

Trinity Presbyterian Church invites the public to a Thanksgiving morning Communion service at 10 a.m. on Nov. 22 at 1500 Park Blvd. "Come as you are," and bring family, friends and guests. The service will take about 45 minutes. Call 371-5875 during business hours for more information.

Child care meals

United Christian Centers' Child Development Program announces its sponsorship of a child care food program, offering meals without charge to eligible participants. Contact the center at 372-0200 for information.

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Answers to Sports Quiz & Puzzles

Answers

1. Jackson was last with the California Angels in 1994.
2. Edgar Martinez had 145 RBIs for Seattle at age 37 in 2000.
3. Rick Leach at Michigan (1975-1978) and Indiana quarterback Antwaan Randle El (1998-2001).
4. It was 1954, when the East beat the West in overtime, 98-93.
5. Hull was the 117th pick overall (sixth round) by Calgary. Mario Lemieux was the first overall pick that year.
6. Alain Prost had 51 victories.
7. Chris Evert won 101 matches at the U.S. Open between 1971 and 1989.

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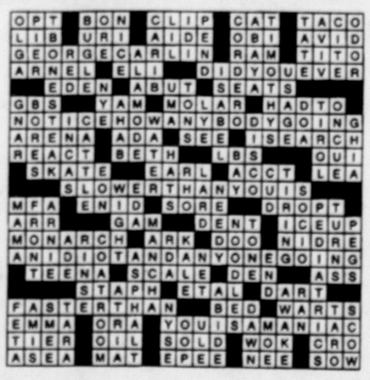

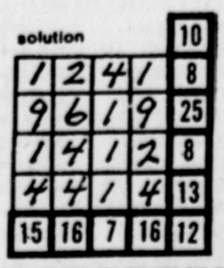

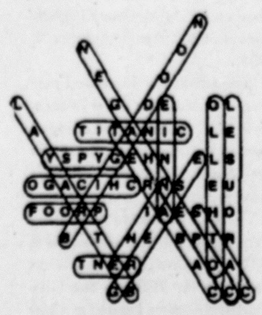

Differences: 1. Boy and dog have switched places. 2. Woman's nightgown is different. 3. Curtain is missing. 4. Pajamas are different. 5. Sheet fold is wider. 6. Picture is different.

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